



## **BEARFACTS 1995 – 2005**

### **Washington , Iowa [19183]**

Washington is one of 99 counties in Iowa. It is part of the [Iowa City, IA \(MSA\)](#). Its 2005 population of 21,072 ranked 28th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2005 Washington had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$31,207. This PCPI ranked 19th in the state and was 99 percent of the state average, \$31,535, and 90 percent of the national average, \$34,757. The 2005 PCPI reflected an increase of 2.3 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 2.7 percent and the national change was 4.9 percent. In 1995 the PCPI of Washington was \$20,919 and ranked 17th in the state. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.2 percent and for the nation was 4.2 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2005 Washington had a total personal income (TPI) of \$657,587\*. This TPI ranked 28th in the state and accounted for 0.7 percent of the state total. In 1995 the TPI of Washington was \$423,502\* and ranked 28th in the state. The 2005 TPI reflected an increase of 2.5 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 3.1 percent and the national change was 5.9 percent. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.5 percent and for the nation was 5.3 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Washington. In 2005 net earnings accounted for 66.1 percent of TPI (compared with 61.5 in 1995); dividends, interest, and rent were 17.9 percent (compared with 22.9 in 1995); and personal current transfer receipts were 16.0 percent (compared with 15.6 in 1995). From 2004 to 2005 net earnings increased 2.3 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 0.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 5.5 percent. From 1995 to 2005 net earnings increased on average 5.3 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 2.0 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 4.8 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Washington increased from \$292,590\* in 2004 to \$296,593\* in 2005, an increase of 1.4 percent. The 2004-2005 state change was 3.2 percent and the national change was 5.4 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1995 estimate of \$206,403\* to the 2005 estimate was 3.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.8 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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